

And Santa Anna madly calls
 For horse, and madly rides away
 His flight is vain, for ere a day
 Has passed he's found afoot, forlorn,
 Then back to Houston's camp he's
 borne,
 Beside the bloody field where all
 His hopes were crushed, a ghastly pall
 Of death o'erhanging it. He's trailed
 By captive Mexicans, then hailed
 With fury as the Texans see
 In him the bloody tyrant, he
 Who basely stole their rights and
 burned
 Their scattered homes and towns, and
 turned
 A butchering army loose to slay
 And rape and drive their kin away.
 In wild uproar they ask his life,
 But Houston sternly calms the strife
 And takes the tyrant to his tent
 To hold him there till he has sent
 His every man from Texas land,
 And more, till his all-high command
 Has pledged the word of Mexico
 That rebel Texas now may go
 A nation free and sovereign; proud
 To walk alone, forever vowed
 To liberty, and mightily to stand
 A fortress for the rights of man.

Behold, great Texas free; invaders
 gone as if a breath
 Of God had come to wither them; her
 people like a tide
 Turned back to seek their ruined
 homes and towns—some mad
 with joy
 While others go in grief to find where
 fathers lie in death,
 And vow to live for children and the
 love of those who died.
 They build their homes and towns
 anew; they clear the land, employ
 The virgin plains to grow a hundred
 crops, while vessels ply
 Their rivers and white covered wagons
 bring their thousands through.
 They shape their rule in freedom's
 way, their nation's pride held
 high,
 And 'shrine the graves of loved ones
 in their glorious dreams come
 true.

Oh, mighty San Jacinto, chosen stage
 of destiny;
 The madman's charge you saw, the
 furious blows, the ringing cries,
 Were lightning crashes of the gods
 awork to shape the world—
 To turn the Latin south and sweep
 the sons of Saxony
 Across a continent. The Texans took
 a glorious prize—

In land and liberty—but more, their
 blows unfurled
 The glory of the Stars and Stripes
 from sea to rolling sea.
 They added mighty empire to our
 brave Columbia land
 And steeled her heart and will to be a
 guardian for the free—
 Of every race and clime—as long as
 God's great world shall stand.

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TENTH DAY

(Continued)

(Friday, October 26, 1934)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m.,
 and was called to order by Speaker
 Stevenson.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, intro-
 duced today, were laid before the
 House, read severally first time, and
 referred to the appropriate commit-
 tees, as follows:

By Mr. Nicholson, Mr. McKee, Mr.
 Laird, Mr. Scarborough, Mr. Roark,
 and Mr. Bergman:

H. B. No. 47, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to amend Chapter 68, Acts
 of the First Called Session of the
 Forty-third Legislature, creating a
 conservation and reclamation district
 by the name of 'Lower Neches Valley
 Authority,' so as to better provide for
 securing Federal funds for such dis-
 trict and provide work for the relief
 of unemployed persons of Texas, and
 requiring submission by said district,
 preliminary to issuing any obliga-
 tions under said Act, of a certified
 copy of such obligations and of the
 proceedings authorizing the issuance
 of such obligations to the Attorney
 General of Texas for approval, and
 requiring such obligations, when so
 approved, to be registered by the
 Comptroller of the State of Texas;
 etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Conser-
 vation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Ray, Mr. Chastain, and Mr.
 Lotief:

H. B. No. 48, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act granting consent to Kate
 Levy, a feme sole, to bring, main-
 tain, and prosecute against the State
 of Texas in any district court of

Travis County, Texas, upon certain deficiency warrants; providing for payment of any judgment rendered against the State of Texas in said suit; providing that either party to said suit shall have the right to appeal from any judgment rendered, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, October 26, 1934.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has granted the request of the House for a conference committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on House Bill No. 6. The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate: Senators Redditt, Collie, Pace, Poage, Oneal.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 2 ON PASSAGE TO THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, as unfinished business, on its passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district to be known as Lower Colorado River Authority, pursuant to and for the purposes set forth in Section 59, of Article XVI, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, and to be a governmental agency, body politic and corporate, without power to mortgage or encumber any of its property or to alienate any property necessary to its business, or to levy taxes or assessments or to create any indebtedness payable out of taxes or assessments, or to pledge the credit of the State; fixing the boundaries thereof; conferring thereon all powers, rights, privileges and functions conferred by general law upon districts created pursuant to said Section 59, except as expressly limited; conferring certain other powers thereon, including the power to control, store, preserve, use, distribute and sell the waters of the Colorado River and its tributaries, and declaring an emergency";

The bill having heretofore been read second time with amendment by Mr. Dean, pending.

Mr. Graves offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Dean:

Amend Senate Bill No. 2 by inserting at the end of Section 2 the following:

"It is the purpose of this Act to preserve every right now possessed by any person or municipality to impound and use the waters of the Colorado River and/or its tributaries for any purpose."

ENGELHARD,
GRAVES.

(Pending consideration of the amendment, Mr. Burns occupied the Chair, temporarily.)

(Speaker in the Chair.)

Question—Shall the substitute amendment by Mr. Graves be adopted?

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Burns, the House, at 12 o'clock m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

The following committee has filed favorable report, as follows:

Appropriations: House Bill No. 42.

ELEVENTH DAY

(Monday, October 29, 1934)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Burns.
Aikin.	Butler.
Alexander.	Calvert.
Alsup.	Canon.
Anderson.	Cathey.
Atchison.	Caven.
Baker.	Celaya.
Barron.	Chastain.
Beck.	Clayton.
Bourne.	Colson.